Applicants' Statement of the Substance of the Interview

The Examiner contacted the Applicants' representative on August 4, 2009 in response to the Applicants' prior request for an interview to clarify the reasons for rejection. The Applicants' representative requested the Examiner to clarify the rationale behind the allegation that the references cited in the outstanding Office Action disclose, teach or suggest the limitation of the docking apparatus communicating with the remote communication device to include the telematics functionality module in a memory of the remote communications device. The Examiner acknowledged that because the references disclose, teach or suggest communicating to include signaling and data rather than functionality modules, the references taken either alone or in combination do not disclose, teach or suggest at least the limitation of the docking apparatus communicating with the remote communication device to include the telematics functionality module in a memory of the remote communications device.

As a result, the Examiner indicated that the rejection will be withdrawn once the substance of the interview is made of record in a response to the outstanding Office Action.